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County's eWaste recycling contract to end May 14

LĪHU'E – The County of Kaua'i's three year contract with T&N Computer Recycling

Services to host free monthly eWaste events at the Kaua'i Resource Center (KRC) in Līhu'e will end on May 14.

Under the contract, T&N collects eWaste at no charge to the public every second Friday of the month and the following Saturday at the KRC. The recycler accepts, tracks, and ships the eWaste for processing to Electronic Recyclers International in Fresno, CA.

Market conditions for eWaste have declined dramatically since the contract was signed, and state funding for eWaste ended on December 31, 2015.

County officials are continuing to seek other arrangements on-island for eWaste recycling.

The recycling office urges businesses and residents to take advantage of the remaining three eWaste events. Events are held at the Kaua'i Resource Center located at 3460 Ahukini Road near the Līhu'e Airport from 7:45 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. Upcoming event dates are as follows:

- Friday, March 11 and Saturday, March 12
- Friday, April 8 and Saturday, April 9
- Friday, May 13 and Saturday, May 14

For more information, please visit www.kauai.gov/ewaste or call 241-4841.